

WORLD NEWS

SEVEN DAYS AT A GLANCE

Peace Notes.

The Eastern Siberian republic, with headquarters at Chita, has been overthrown by anti-bolshevik forces, according to unconfirmed reports from foreign sources received at Vladivostok. These reports declared the military stores of the Chita government had been fired and the government had fled.

Assembly of an international congress of financiers at Washington—possibly coincident with the disarmament conference in November—to discuss stabilization of foreign exchange, is under consideration at the treasury, officials said.

President Harding has announced the selection of Secretary Hughes to head the delegation to represent the United States in the Washington conference on limitation of armaments and Pacific and far Eastern issues which menace international tranquility.

Paris welcomed the 250 representatives of the American Legion who came to France to attend the dedication of the French monument to the American expeditionary force with much the same spirit as that with which they received the poilus when they returned from the great war.

Putting into definite terms its proposal for a disarmament conference, the United States has formally invited the great powers to unite in "a practical effort to remove the causes of misunderstanding" and so facilitate reduction of the world's enormous outlay for the materials of war.

The French and British prime ministers are far from agreement upon the new line dividing Upper Silesia drawn by the experts appointed for this purpose by them. Therefore, the work of the supreme council, which has been considering the Silesian problem, cannot be completed for the present.

Soviet Russia has released six of the American prisoners, who have arrived at Narva, Estonia, but the fact that only this half dozen of Americans were sent out of the country was said to threaten a long delay in and perhaps the abandonment of the negotiations for American famine relief for Russia.

In taking up the Silesian subject the Allied Supreme council decided unanimously to adopt an attitude of strict neutrality in the Greco-Turkish War, without interfering with trading by private firms with either of the belligerent countries.

Washington.

In announcing approval of a new application by the New York Volks Zeitung for second class mail privileges, Postmaster General Hays reiterated that the policy of his office would not be to censor the press while enforcing "without technicalities those statutes declaring certain matters unmailable."

Leaders of the Anti-Saloon League are appealing to members of the house committee on rules to bring in a rule that will enable the "drys" to put through the anti-beer bill before congress takes a recess.

Six persons were killed at Weston, O., the other night when their motor car stalled on the track of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad and was struck by a passenger train.

More than two hundred farms on government reclaimed lands will be opened to entry by ex-service men next month. Until sixty days after the opening, the interior department announced, none but veterans will be permitted to make filings, but others will be accepted later.

Railroads of the country generally have sufficient reserve supplies of coal and little immediate increase in purchases can be expected, according to replies made public from the carriers to a letter by the interstate commerce commission.

Domestic.

The Army and Navy Journal, owned by W. C. and F. P. Church, has been sold to Col. Henry J. Reilly, who commanded the 149th field artillery and later the 83d infantry brigade in the Rainbow division.

Dr. George T. Harding, father of President Harding, on his arrival at Marion, O., from Toledo, admitted he and Miss Alice Severns, his stenographer and office attendant, had been married in Monroe, Mich.

A. J. Walker of Denver was rescued from the Niagara River less than one thousand feet above the American falls by Thomas E. Ackers of Niagara. Ackers waded thirty feet out into the upper rapids to reach Walker. He carried a rope which he tied about the man and the two were hauled ashore.

The quill pen used by President Lincoln in signing his first inaugural address has been stolen from the exhibit of the Chicago Historical Society at the Pageant of Progress, it was announced. The pen was made from the feather of an American eagle.

A counterfeiting plot, hatched at the Ohio state reformatory at Mansfield by prisoners who carried out their work of manufacturing and circulating bogus bank notes for months within prison walls, has been revealed by United States secret service agents.

John Morin, Pittsburgh, was chosen to head the fraternal order of Eagles for the next year at the annual convention at Newark, N. J. William Souter, San Antonio, was elected trustee; John S. Parry, Kansas City, Mo., secretary and John Spittler, San Antonio, grand inside guard.

Rear Admiral George Fink Kutz, U. S. N., retired, said to be the second oldest living rear admiral in the navy, is dead at San Francisco. Admiral Kutz was 86 years old. He was born in Wilkes-Barre, Pa., June 14, 1835.

Even more extensive changes in tax levies than were agreed upon at the white house conference between President Harding and Republican leaders of the house of representatives have been voted tentatively by the majority members of the house ways and means committee.

Southwest.

Mrs. Fidela Garcia and three children are dead at Laredo, Tex., as a result of eating bread which police officials said was made from potato flour. Another child, a boy of 7, is reported to be dying.

Three school teachers were instantly killed when an automobile in which they were riding to Talonga, Ok., from Weatherford, ran off a bridge, five miles northwest of Custer City, into Horst Creek.

Reports from Houston that cattle in that vicinity are dying of a mysterious disease or a strange poison, do not alarm stockmen in North Texas. Local veterinarians regard as an exaggeration the story that enough acornite was found in the stomach of a South Texas cow to kill twenty-seven hundred persons.

A terrific wind storm, accompanied by a 2-inch rain, resulted in one death and considerable property damage at Sedalia, Mo., the other night. Near the M., K. & T. railroad station a man, apparently on his way to the station, ran into a charged electric wire that had blown across the sidewalk and was killed.

Foreign.

The American relief administration, in order to give evidence that the United States is anxious to extend aid to the famine sufferers in soviet Russia as soon as possible, will start to feed the needy in Petrograd and Moscow in the near future, it was announced at Riga.

Three Americans who desire to leave Russia, says a message from Hamburg, sixty-eight miles southwest of Petrograd, to the Russian Bolshevist legation, have been detained in Hamburg pending instructions from Moscow "because they have too much money."

Eamonn De Valera, leader of the Irish republicans, has refused to accept the proposals of the British government, constituting dominion government and having as their basis the bringing about of peace in Ireland.

At a recent session of the International Metal Workers' conference, in Switzerland, a resolution put forward by the American delegates calling for the stoppage of production of munitions as a means for insuring world peace, was unanimously adopted.

Alexander, the prince regent of Serbia, is surrounding himself with some of the second-hand regal panoply of the Hapsburgs. A commission from Belgrade has bought two of the many state carriages stored in the old royal stables at Vienna.

The Norwegian steam Bergensfjord limped into port at Christiania from New York, having been damaged by hitting an iceberg while off Cape Race at 3 o'clock in the morning during a dense fog. The iceberg bumped the steamer below the water line.

Or words to that effect



IT BEATS the band.
THE WAY this thing.
KEEPS POPPING up.
THE OTHER night.
I BROKE all rules.
AND READ a high-brow book.
AND HERE'S a hot one.
THAT IT handed me.
"MANY OF us find.
THAT TASTE affords.
ONE OF the fairly.
DEPENDABLE SATISFACTIONS.
OF EVERYDAY living.
AND IT seems.
UPON LONG reflection.
THAT SATISFACTION.
COMES CLOSE to being
THE LONG sought.
'HIGHEST GOOD.'
OF COURSE that isn't.
WRITTEN WITH the ease.
AND POLISH to which.

WE ARE accustomed.
BUT IT'S a mouthful.
AS YOU'LL agree if you.
JUST PUT it into good.
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